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1. We are transmitting herewith the attached papers for the above identified patent application:

☒ **AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**
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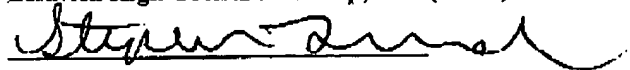
2. **FEEs:** Please charge the fee for a small entity three (3)-month extension of time fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) of \$510.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-2281 for the Lesavich High-Tech Law Group, P.C.

3. **GENERAL AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE OR CREDIT FEES:** No other fees are required. Should this assumption be incorrect please charge any additional fees (or credit overpayment) to Deposit Account No. 50-2281 for Lesavich High-Tech Law Group, P.C. If any other extensions of time is required consider this a petition and request therefor under 37 CFR § 1.136.

4. **CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:** The undersigned hereby certifies that this facsimile transmittal letter and the papers, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office, (Patent Fax No. 571-273-8300) on this 17th day of April 2006.

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